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Honorable James H. Welsh
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State of Louisiana
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RE: HEARING APPLICATION
Substitute Unit Well at Exceptional Location
WX F1 RA SU 386
Hunt Petroleum Corporation - LA Central O & G No. 240
Olla Field
LaSalle Parish, Louisiana
Our File No. 280109.0277

Dear Sir:

On behalf of HUNT PETROLEUM CORPORATION, application is hereby made for a public hearing to receive evidence concerning the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Wilcox F1 Zone, Reservoir A, in the Olla Field, LaSalle Parish, Louisiana:

1. To permit the applicant to designate, utilize and produce the Hunt Petroleum Corporation - LA Central O & G No. 240 Well, at the exceptional location shown on the plat attached hereto, in exception to the well spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 1235-B-8, effective October 7, 1987, and to designate said well as the unit well for WX F1 RA SU 386.
2. To explicitly find that the proposed unit well is necessary to drain a portion of the Wilcox F1 Zone, Reservoir A, in the Olla Field underlying WX F1 RA SU 386, which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well in such units.
3. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Wilcox F1 Zone, Reservoir A, in the Olla Field, LaSalle Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1235-B-8, effective October 7, 1987.

The Rules of Procedure of the Commissioner of Conservation pertaining to the Pre-Application

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Notice requirements, are not applicable to the hearing requested herein, which requires legal notice of only ten (10) days.

Pertinent data concerning the intended application will be made available for inspection at the offices of Blanchard, Walker, O'Quin & Roberts, Bank One Tower, 400 Texas Street, Suite 1400, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Wm. Timothy Allen III at (318) 221-6858 during normal business hours or write Mr. Allen at the above address, in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data can be obtained at the expense of the requesting party.

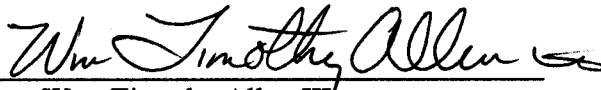
A list of the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties (as defined in the Rules of Procedure) is attached hereto, and a copy of this notice, with the annexed plat, is being sent to each of such persons. A reasonable effort has been made to determine that the enclosed list includes all of the persons to whom this notice must be sent under the Rules of Procedure.

A check in the amount of \$755.00 made payable to the Commissioner of Conservation is enclosed herewith as the statutory fee for holding the requested hearing.

This application is being filed in duplicate, and a copy hereof is being sent to Mr. Clarence Chandler, Monroe District Manager of the Office of Conservation and to each Interested Owner, Represented Party and Interested Party whose name is shown on the attached list.

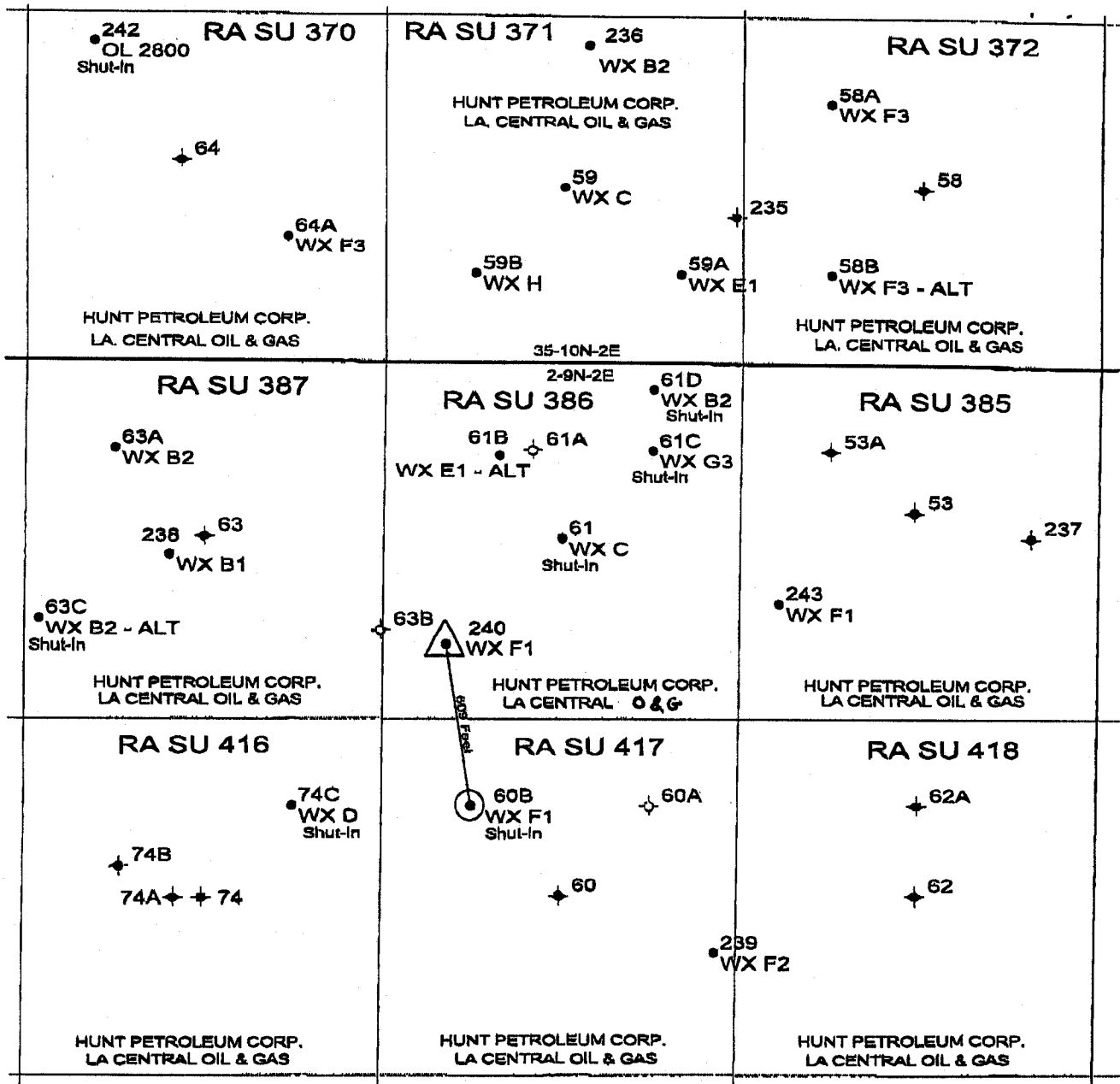
Very truly yours,

BLANCHARD, WALKER, O'QUIN & ROBERTS

By: 
Wm. Timothy Allen III
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Enclosures

- cc: Mr. Clarence Chandler, Monroe
District Manager (w/enclosures)
- cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties (w/copy of plat only)



PROPOSED CURRENT UNIT WELL
 HUNT PETROLEUM CORPORATION
 (SN 971046) LOUISIANA CENTRAL O & G No. 240
 270' FSL AND 228' FWL OF THE NW 1/4 OF
 THE NE 1/4 OF SECTION 2, T9N-R2E



CURRENT UNIT WELL (WX F1 RA SU 417)
 HUNT PETROLEUM CORPORATION
 (SN 24990) LOUISIANA CENTRAL OIL AND GAS No. B-60
 330' FNL AND 330' FWL OF THE SW 1/4 OF
 THE NE 1/4 OF SECTION 2, T9N-R2E

DOCKET NO.

EXHIBIT NO. 1

HUNT PETROLEUM CORPORATION
 DALLAS, TEXAS

UNIT PLAT

PROPOSED CURRENT UNIT WELL
 AT AN EXCEPTION TO THE LOCATION
 PROVISIONS OF ORDER 1235-B-8

WX F1 RA SU 386

(SN 971046) LOUISIANA CENTRAL O & G No. 240

OLLA FIELD
 LASALLE PARISH, LOUISIANA

